

Truth Stranger than Fiction.

If the story told by Mrs. Mary Bridge to Justice Schielein of East New York recently is true it illustrates the aphorism that truth is stranger than fiction. This story, briefly told, is that she and her husband, John M. Bridge, were married in England, forty-five years ago, and had one child, Louis, now living and working on the Brooklyn bridge. The old man was a sailor, but gave up the sea some years ago.

A few months ago Mrs. Bridge met an old shipmate of her husband, who expressed surprise at not seeing her in affluent circumstances. "Why," he said, "What has become of the £50,000 your husband had ten years ago?"

"Fifty thousand pounds! You are crazy," exclaimed Mrs. Bridge. "Not at all. He had trunks full of gold."

The astounded Mrs. Bridge went home and charged her husband with concealing his wealth. He owned up, but implored her not to mention it or the Suag Harbor authorities would charge him for seven years' board. He also confessed that he recently had been left another fortune. A few days later he disappeared altogether. Justice Schielein referred Mrs. Bridge to the Commissioners of Charity.

It is now known that Bridge is a miser, and it is suspected that he has been a pirate. It is said that he has money in half a dozen New York banks. The old couple lived in a tenement house on Dean street, near Stone avenue.—N. Y. World.

A Novel Dam.

E. W. Clark, who has located a ranch at Evan's camp, on the west side of the Huachuclas, has solved a water and irrigation problem, which is an important discovery for Arizona. Mr. Clark dug a trench across the canon to bed-rock, in places twenty feet deep, and quite a large volume of water was encountered. He then filled up the trench with clay to the surface, puddling the same as work progressed. The result is that there is a fine flow of water over the subterranean dam, where water never ran before except in the rainy season, sufficient to irrigate several acres of rich land lying below.—Tombstone Epitaph.

Messrs. Paddelford deputy sheriff, and Lou Bass, after following two horse thieves 260 miles, succeeded in capturing both men and horses. F. Bond, of Lookout, was also implicated in the matter, and confessed that he, Bond, had killed several cattle for beef and had buried the hides. Bond died while in the hands of the officers. Paddelford and Bass started for Lincoln with the others on Saturday. We hope this will put a stop to stealing on Black River.—White Oaks (N. M.) Interpreter.

"Young man," he said, "never give up; persistence and determination will always triumph in the end." "I know it, sir," replied the young man; "I found it so in the case of chewing tobacco. It took me a year, but I got there."—The Epoch.

Manuel Morales, of Morenci, a nephew of Julio Martinez, who was recently shot, is anxious to follow in the footsteps of his uncle. He attempted, one night last week, to shoot a fellow Mexican while asleep, but was prevented just as he was about to pull the trigger. Justice Gast fined the would-be murderer \$25, with the alternative of 25 days in jail. He at present languishes in the calaboose at Clifton.—Clarion.

Juan Soto, a noted Mexican desperado recently arrested by Sheriff John Slaughter, has been turned over to the officials of Pima county, where he will be tried for murder.—Ex.

Antonio Lorente, ex-county treasurer and a prominent Yuma merchant, committed suicide on the afternoon of the 7th, by shooting himself through the head. Depression caused by sickness of year standing is the supposed cause.—Clarion.

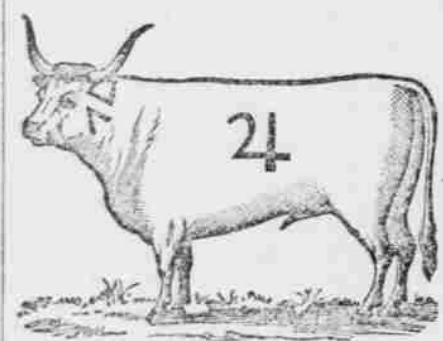
BRANDS OF THE Apache County Stock Growers' Association.

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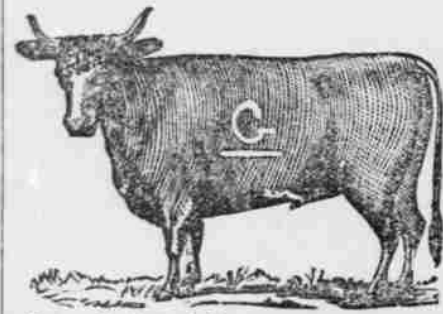
Ear mark: Crop left.

TWENTY-FOUR CATTLE COMPY.
Postoffice: Springville, A. T.

Horse Brand: left hip.

OTHER BRANDS

left thigh. A left jaw.



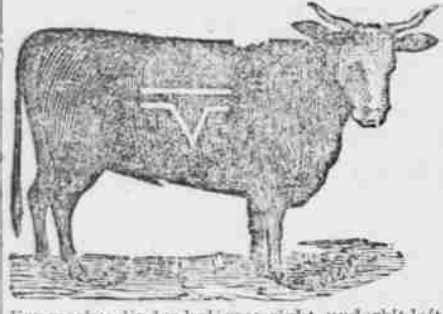
Ear mark: Crop right.

GARDINER, GILLIES & WILMERDING
Postoffice: Navajo Springs, A. T.

Horse Brand: right shoulder.

OTHER BRANDS

All cattle have X on left jaw.



Ear marks: Under half crop right, underbit left.

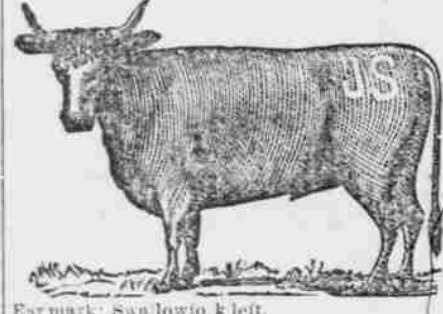
ST. GEO. CREAGHE,
Postoffice: Springville, A. T.

Range: Coyote Springs and Esquidilla mountains.

Horse Brand: right thigh.

OTHER BRANDS

74 left ribs.

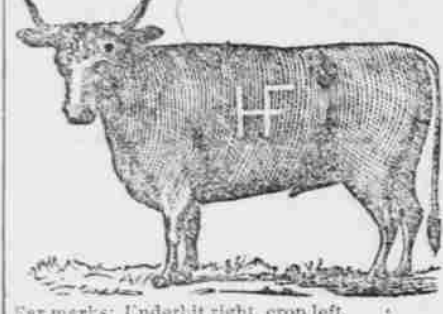


Ear mark: San lowio k left.

BULL & SHONE.
Post office: Taylor, Arizona Territory.

Range: Lower Show Low.

Horse Brand left shoulder.



Ear marks: Underbit right, crop left.

JAMES M HIGGINS
Post office: Holbrook, Arizona.

Range: Little Colorado river, near Holbrook.

Brand is on both sides.

Wattle (varruga) on left side of neck.

OTHER BRANDS

All old cattle have tip of left horn sawed off.

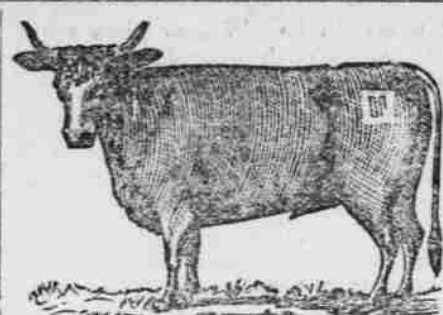


Ear mark: Crop left, underslope right.

MORRISON SONS & LOGAN
Post office: Springville, Arizona.

Range: Esquidilla Mountains.

Horse brand on right hip.



Ear mark: Crop right, overbit left.

Increase branded on both hips.

WOODS AND POTTER
Post office: Woodruff, Arizona.

Range: Little Colorado river and silver creek.

Horse Brand: left thigh left hip.



G W WAKEFIELD
Post office: Springville.

Horse brand, W left shoulder.

Range: Nutrioso.



Ear mark: Crop left, underbit right.

HART & CAMPBELL
Post office: Nutrioso, Arizona.

Range: Rincon rancho, head of Blue river, Graham county.

Horse Brand: left thigh.

OTHER BRANDS

H C left hip, cattle. H C left thigh, horses



Ear marks: Crop and split left, upper and underbit right.

A. H. PRATT.
Post office: Springville, Arizona.

Range: Esquidilla mountains. Horse brand, T I N left hip.



Ear marks: Split both ears.

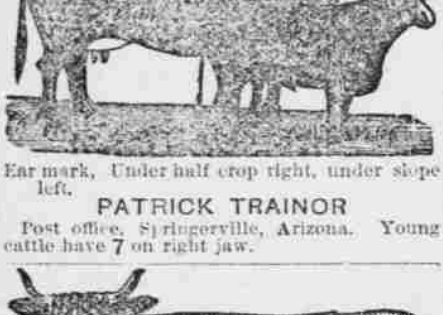
W W PACE
Post office: Alpine, Arizona.

OTHER BRANDS

left ribs, ear mark, split both ears; left ribs, ear marks, swallow fork right, over and underbit left.

left hip, left thigh, left ribs, swallow fork right

over and underbit left.



Ear mark: Swallow fork right.

BARNES AND GOMEZ
Post office: St. Joseph, Arizona.

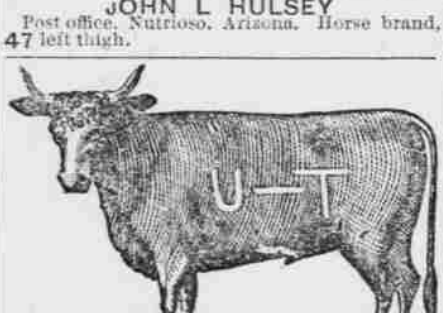
Range: Chevelous Fork and Little Colorado river.

Wattle (varruga) on face between eyes.

OTHER BRANDS

T each hip, jinglebob right ear.

right ribs, over half crop each year.



Ear marks: Under bit right, crop left.

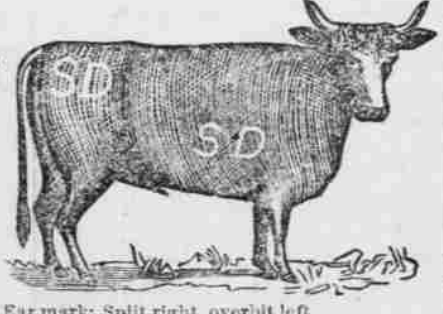
ZEIGER BROS.
Post office: Navajo Springs, Arizona.

Range: Navajo Springs.

Calves for 1888 left side and right thigh.

OTHER BRANDS

and



Ear marks: Crop and overbit each ear.

C O BROWN
Postoffice: Holbrook, Arizona.

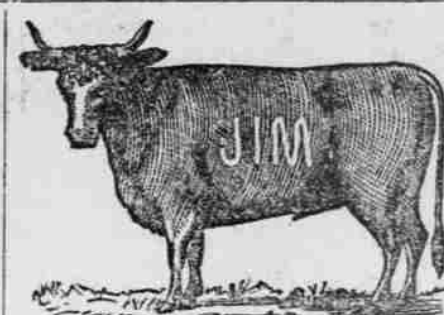
Range: Colorado river, near Holbrook, and Grand Falls, Yavapai county, Arizona.

Horse brand, B left thigh.

OTHER BRANDS

O X left hip.

Since January 1st, 1888, all increase in cattle are branded on both sides as follows:

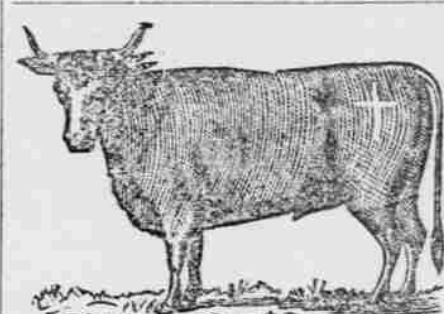


Ear mark: Two overbits in each ear. Double dewlap on cattle.

JAS FLAKE
Post office: Snowflake, Arizona.

Range: Snowflake.

Horse Brand: right thigh, F right thigh.



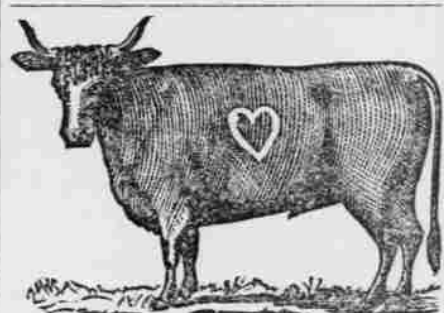
Ear mark: Underslope left, swallow fork right.

Mrs ELLEN GREER
Post office: Woodruff, Arizona.

Range: Little Colorado river.

All cattle have on left jaw.

Horse Brand: left shoulder and left jaw.



Ear marks: Crop right, underbit left.

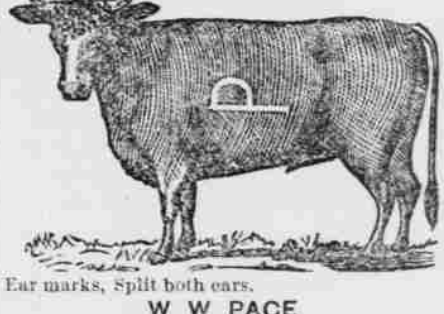
Wattle (varruga) on face between eyes.

GEORGE BAGNALL
Post office: Winslow, Arizona.

Range: Show Low and Silver creek. Horse brand, Heart left shoulder.

OTHER BRANDS

left side.



Ear marks: Clean split from root to point left ear, upperbit in right ear. Wattle (varruga) on jaw, under mouth.

C on left jaw (check); bull: C on left cheek only. Blooded stock C on left cheek and C on left ribs.

HUNING & COOLEY
Post office: Show Low, Arizona.

Range: Show Low creek, Silver creek, Laguna, Orizaba and Laguna Salada.

Horse brand C, left shoulder.

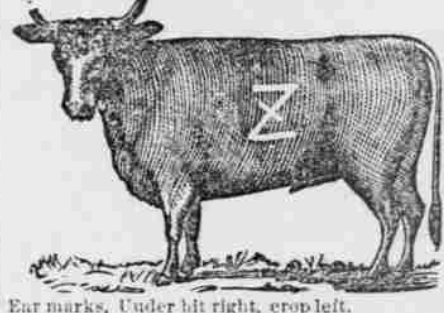


Ear mark: Underbit right.

WABASH CATTLE CO.
Post office: Navajo Springs, Arizona.

Range: The Salt Lakes.

Horse Brand right shoulder.



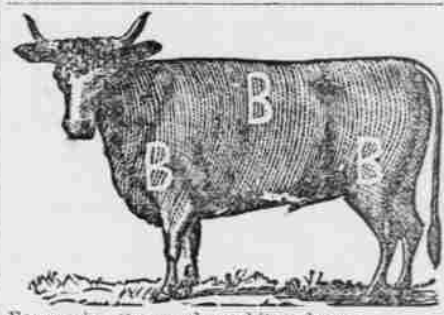
Ear marks: Under half crop each year.

DAVID ROPE
Post office: Holbrook, Arizona.

Range: Rope's ranch, near Holbrook.

All cattle branded X V on both sides.

Other brands, on left shoulder, on left hip, also left thigh.



Ear marks: Crop right, underbit left.

AZTEC LAND AND CATTLE CO
(LIMITED.)

Post office: Holbrook, Arizona.

Range: Apache and Yavapai counties.

Old cattle branded Also in various other on left side and hip on both sides kept up.

Horse Brands: right or left shoulder. HS right thigh.



Ear mark: Crop and underbit right, split and underbit left.

K V B TALLEY
Post office: Snowflake, Arizona.

Range: Snowflake.

Horse Brand: right thigh.

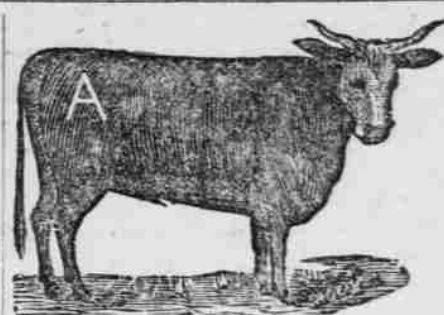
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Some cattle right hip. All increase T left side.

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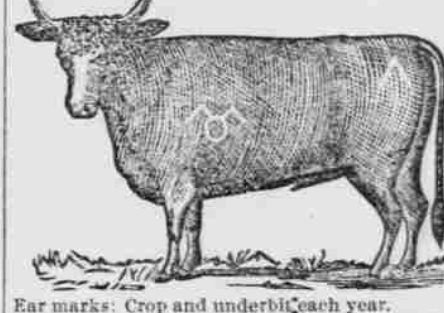
Horse Brand Y right shoulder.



Ear mark: Crop right, underbit left.

W S ATCHISON
Post office: Springville, Arizona.

Horse Brand A right thigh.



Ear marks: Crop and underbit each year.

MILLER, GOLDBERG & PUTNAM.
Post office: Holbrook, Arizona.

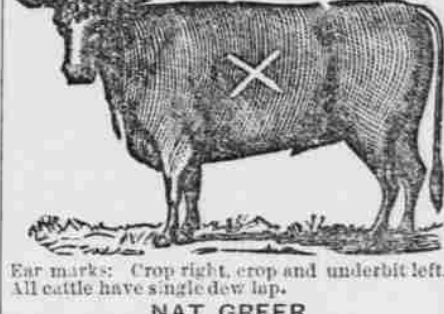
Range: Apache and Yavapai counties.

Horse Brand left thigh.

OTHER BRANDS

left side. A left thigh.

All increase branded same as cut.



Ear marks: Crop right, crop and underbit left.

All cattle have single dew lap.

NAT GREER
Post office: Woodruff, Arizona.

Range: Little Colorado river.

Horse Brand and left thigh.



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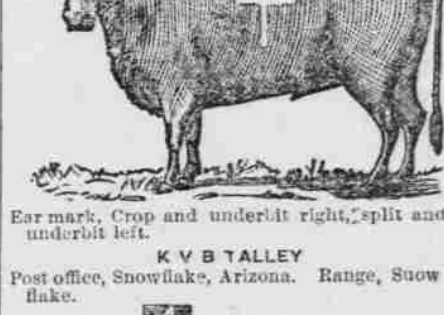
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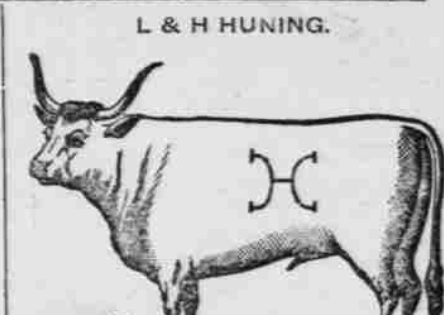
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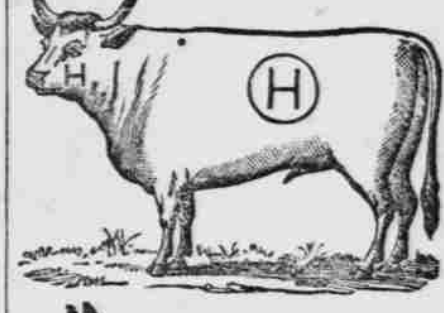
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NAT GREER
Post office: Woodruff, Arizona.

Range: Little Colorado river.

Horse Brand and left thigh.



Ear mark: Underbit right.

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